H. R. No. 77.

FEBRUARY 12, 1816.

Read twice and committed to a Committee of the whole House to-morrow.

A Bill

For the relief of Erastus Loomis.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That 2 the proper accounting officers of the Navy Department be, and 3 they are hereby authorized to adjust and settle the claim of 4 Erastus Loomis, and allow him the pay and emoluments of a 5 second lieutenant of marines, from the first day of August, 6 one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, to the twenty-eighth 7 of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifteen, also 8 the expenses incurred by said Loomis, in consequence of a 9 wound received by him, whilst gallantly doing his duty on 10 board the brig Eagle, in the action on Lake Champlain, on the 11 eleventh of September, one thousand eight hundred and four-12 teen; the amount whereof, shall be paid out of any money in 13 the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated. 14